

The Special Attention of Physicians is respectfully invited to the Remarks below, and to the List of Diseases on the back of this Certificate.

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH.

TO THE HEALTH OFFICER, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Permit No. 53658

Date of Death 10 29 1886. (7)

Full Name of Deceased John Wittekindt

Sex Male

Age 25 Years 5 Months 14 Days

Color White

Married, Single, Widow, or Widower, [Cross out the words not required in this line.]

Occupation Cabinet Maker

Birthplace Germany

Duration of Residence in the District of Columbia 23 years

Nativity of Father Germany Nativity of Mother Germany

Place of Death, [Give Street and Number.] 317-13 1/2 St. S.W.

Cause of Death { First, (Primary) Malaria, pneumonia 14
Duration 1 week
Second, (Immediate) Congestion of lungs & malary Heart

Duration of Last Sickness 1 week

All of the above information should be furnished by the Physician. In case of death by zymotic disease, please state what, if any, local cause exists to produce the same.

Place of Burial Congressional Cem

Date of Burial Oct. 30 1886 Charles E. ... M. D.

Undertaker J. Wm Lee

Place of Business 333 ... Address ...

Extract from Regulation to keep a full and correct Record of the Vital Statistics in the District of Columbia.

SECTION 4. That whenever any person shall die within the District of Columbia it shall be the duty of the physician attending such person during his or her last sickness, or of the Coroner of the District, when the case comes under his official notice, to furnish and deliver to the undertaker, or other person superintending the burial of said deceased person, a certificate, duly signed, setting forth, as far as the same may be ascertained, the name, age, color, sex, nativity, (giving State or country,) occupation, whether married or single, duration of residence in the District of Columbia, cause, date, and place of death, (giving street and number,) and duration of last sickness of such deceased person. And it shall be the duty of the undertaker, or other person in charge of the burial of such deceased person, to state in said certificate the date and place of burial, and being signed the same, to forward it to the Registrar aforesaid within twenty-four hours after such death: Provided, That in case of death from infectious or contagious disease, said certificate shall be so made and forwarded within eight hours thereafter. [OVER.]